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Petersbourg, April 18, *O. S.*

THE River Neva, that runs through this Place, is now almoſt clear of Ice, ſo that two Yachts were launched laſt Week, and a Man of War is to be launched very ſoon. The Czarina, who is in perfect Health, diverts herſelf almoſt every Day in ſeeing a great Number of ſmall Veſſels and Barges ſail by her Palace.

Copenhagen, May 13, *N. S.* Count Seckendorff, Miniſter from the Emperour, had Yeſterday his firſt Audience of the King of Denmark at Fridericksberg; and likewiſe of the Prince Royal.

Whitehall, May 12.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint James Mighells, Eſq; Sir Jacob Ackworth, Kt. Thomas Pearſe, Eſq; Sir George Saunders, Kt. John Fawler, Robert Byng, Thomas Kempthorne, Eſqrs. Sir Nicholas Trevanion, Kt. and Richard Hughes, Eſq; together with Vere Beauclerk, Eſq; commonly called Lord Vere Beauclerk, to be Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy.

Whitehall, May 13.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the Right Honourable the Lord Viſcount Howe to be Governour of his Majeſty's Iſland of Barbadoes, in the Room of Walter Chetwynd, Eſq; deceaſed.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint Captain Edward Falkingham, Commander of His Majeſty's Ship the Salisbury, to be Governour of Newfoundland.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint John Cookſon, Eſq; to be one of the Commiſſioners for Licenſing Hackney Coaches and Chairs, in the Room of John Idle, Eſq;

His Majeſty has alſo been pleaſed to appoint John Temple, Eſq; to be Auditor of the Duties on Hides, Coffee, Tea, and Chocolate, in the Room of William Burroughs, Eſq;

May 4, 1732.

This is to give Notice, that the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury have been pleaſed to appoint Money to pay all the Arrears due to the Penſioners belonging to the Cheſt at Chatham, to Lady-Day 1731, *and that the ſaid Pay will begin on Tueſday the* 13*th of June,* 1732, *at the Hill-Houſe in Chatham.*

April 28, 1732.

The Principal Officers of His Majeſty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, That on Wedneſday the 17*th Day of May next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, they will be ready to ſell by Auction, to the beſt Bidder, at the Office of Ordnance in the Tower of London, ſeveral Parcels of White and Tarr'd Rope, Muſquets, and other Stores; which may be viewed till the Time of Sale at the ſaid Office; where printed Liſts of the ſeveral Lots will be delivered to ſuch as call for them.*

Trinity-Houſe, London, May 6, 1732.

Whereas ſeveral Maſters of Ships who have Occaſion for Ballaſt within the River of Thames, refuſe to take River Ballaſt, tho' offer'd to them, and go to the Wharfs for Land Ballaſt; the Maſter, Wardens, and Aſſiſtants of the Trinity Houſe give Notice, that from and after the Firſt Day of June next, no Ballaſt will be ſupply'd from the Wharfs at Woolwich or Northfleet to any Veſſel, (except to ſuch as deliver their Cargoes at or below Erith, and to His Majeſty's Ships) without an Order in Writing from one of the Superviſors or Rulers of the Ballaſt Office to that Purpoſe.

The Committee for Letting the Cities Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London, do hereby give Notice, that they intend to Lett by ſeveral Leaſes the ſeveral Lots following, viz. No 1. *Two Meſſuages or Tenements in Hounſditch, in the ſeveral Tenures or Occupations of Mr. Richard Spooner, and Mr. Thomas Perrin. No* 2. *One Meſſuage or Tenement in Hounſditch aforeſaid, in the Tenure or Occupation*